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BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Proceeding	91197014
Party	Plaintiff Big Creek Expeditions, Inc., Nantahala Outdoor Center, Inc., Outdoor Adventures, Inc., Smoky Mountain Outdoors Unlimited, Inc., Rapid Expeditions, LLC
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BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

In the Matter of Application Serial No. 85/019,492
Mark: RAFTING IN THE SMOKIES
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BIG CREEK EXPEDITIONS, INC.,
NANTAHALA OUTDOOR CENTER, INC.,
OUTDOOR ADVENTURES, INC.,
RAPID EXPEDITIONS, LLC, and
SMOKY MOUNTAIN OUTDOORS
UNLIMITED, INC.,

 Opposers,

 v.

RITS, LLC,

 Applicant.

Commissioner for Trademarks
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
P. O. Box 1451
Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

MOTION TO WITHDRAW BY OPPOSER RAPID EXPEDITIONS, LLC

Now comes Opposer Rapid Expeditions, LLC (“Rapid Expeditions”), by and through the undersigned counsel, and hereby gives notice to this Board that Rapid Expeditions and the Applicant, RITS, LLC, have entered into a Settlement Agreement related to this Opposition. Pursuant to the Settlement Agreement between Rapid Expeditions and RITS, LLC, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 2.106(c) and TTAB Manual of Procedure § 601.01, Rapid Expeditions hereby withdraws with prejudice its opposition to the Application Serial No. 85/019,492 filed by RITS, LLC.

The position of the other Opposers in this action—namely, Big Creek Expeditions, Inc. (“Big Creek”), Nantahala Outdoor Center, Inc. (“NOC”), Outdoor Adventures, Inc. (“Outdoor Adventures”), and Smoky Mountain Outdoors Unlimited, Inc. (“Smoky Mountain Outdoors”)—is not altered.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of this MOTION TO WITHDRAW BY OPPOSER RAPID EXPEDITIONS, LLC has been served on counsel of record at the following addresses by First Class Mail on the 29th day of September 2011.

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